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## PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

### SCHEDULED MEETINGS

*Saturday, 5 December 1992*

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

*Forty-seventh session*

**Committees**

FIFTH COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations*

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| 11 a.m.-<br>2 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference<br>Room 5 |

Informal consultations on agenda item 105 (Programme planning)

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| 3 p.m.-<br>6 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference<br>Room 5 |

Informal consultations on agenda item 112 (Personnel questions)

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

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| 10 a.m.-<br>1 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference<br>Room 10 |
| 2 p.m.-<br>5 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference<br>Room 10 |

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SECOND COMMITTEE

The DRAFTING GROUP ON OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM (item 83) will meet *today*, 5 December 1992, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in Conference Room 6.

## *Sunday, 6 December 1992*

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

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| 10 a.m.-1 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 10 |
| 2 p.m.-5 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 10 |

## *Monday, 7 December 1992*

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

*Forty-seventh session*

*Informal consultations*

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| 10 a.m.-1 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 7 |

Open-ended working group of the Plenary on agenda item 37 (Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations) (draft resolution A/47/L.22)

*Informal consultations*

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| 11 a.m.-1 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 6 |

Open-ended ad hoc working group of the Plenary on agenda item 47 (Restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related fields) (A/47/534, A/47/627)

**Committees**

SECOND COMMITTEE

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| 3 p.m. | 48th meeting | Conference Room 2 |

1. Organization of work

2. *Action on the following draft proposals:*

Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

*Draft resolutions A/C.2/47/L.34 and L.66*

Development and international economic cooperation [78]

(a) Trade and development

*Draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.24, L.32 and L.69, and L.33 and L.68*

Operational activities for development [83]

*Draft decision A/C.2/47/L.56*

Special economic and disaster relief assistance [87]

(b) Special programmes of economic assistance

*Revised draft resolutions A/C.2/47/L.25/Rev.1, L.28/Rev.1, L.36/Rev.1, L.37/Rev.1, L.48/Rev.1 and L.49/Rev.1*

International assistance for the economic rehabilitation of Angola [88]

*Revised draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.17/Rev.1*

Training and research [89]

(b) United Nations University

*Draft resolutions A/C.2/47/L.43 and L.65*

International cooperation and assistance to alleviate the consequences of war in Croatia and to facilitate its recovery [144]

*Revised draft resolution A/C.2/47/L.41/Rev.1*

SECOND COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations*

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| 10 a.m.-1 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 8 |
| 3 p.m.-6 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 6 |
| 6 p.m.-9 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 6 |

Informal consultations on draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.3 and L.27 *(item 86)*; A/C.2/47/L.12 and L.44 *(item 78)*; A/C.2/47/L.52 and L.53 *(item 81)*; A/C.2/47/L.4 and L.16 *(item 82)*; A/C.2/47/L.14 *(item 85)*

SECOND COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations*

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| Afternoon*-6 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 8 |

Informal consultations on draft proposals A/C.2/47/L.21 and L.22 *(item 83)*; A/C.2/47/L.35 *(item 78 (a))*; A/C.2/47/L.40, L.42 and L.50 *(item 12)*; A/C.2/47/L.10 *(item 78)*; A/C.2/47/L.23 *(item 12)*; A/C.2/47/L.30 *(item 78 (a))*; A/C.2/47/L.57 and L.59 *(item 78 (b))*; A/C.2/47/L.60/Rev.1 *(item 89 (a))*; A/C.2/47/L.5 and L.29 *(item 12)*

* Following the adjournment of the 48th meeting of the Second Committee.

FIFTH COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations*

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| 10 a.m.-1 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 5 |

Informal consultations on agenda items 103 (Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations) and 104 (Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993)

FIFTH COMMITTEE

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| 3 p.m. | 37th meeting | Conference Room 3 |

1. Programme budget for the biennium 1992-1993 [104]

   Revised estimates under section 24: Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (ESCAP)

   (A/C.5/47/29 and A/47/7/Add.7)

   Revised estimates under section 21D: Crime prevention and criminal justice

   (A/C.5/47/40 and A/47/7/Add.7)

   Revised estimates under section 27: Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia

   (A/C.5/47/41 and A/47/7/Add.7)

   Administrative and financial implications of decisions and recommendations of the International Civil Service Commission in A/47/30 (also agenda items 113 and 114)

   (A/C.5/47/37 and A/47/7/Add.6)

   Representation allowance for under-secretaries-general and assistant secretaries-general

   (A/C.5/47/39 and A/47/7/Add.6, A/C.5/46/32 and Corr.1 and A/46/7/Add.8)

2. Administrative and budgetary co-ordination of the United Nations with the specialized agencies and the International Atomic Energy Agency [108]

   (A/47/443 and A/47/593 and Corr.1)

   *Introductory statements*

3. Joint Inspection Unit [109]

   (A/47/16 (Part I), A/47/34, A/47/119, A/47/276 and A/47/373, A/46/34 and A/46/219)

   *Introductory statement*

4. Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [111]

(A/47/11)

FIFTH COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations*

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| Afternoon*-<br>6 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 5 |

Informal consultations on agenda item 102 (Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors)

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| 6.30 p.m.-<br>9.30 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 5 |

Informal consultations on agenda item 113 (United Nations common system)

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| 9.30 p.m.-<br>12 midnight | closed meeting | Conference Room 5 |

Informal consultations on agenda item 111 (Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations)

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* Following the adjournment of the 37th meeting of the Fifth Committee.

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COMMITTEE ON THE EXERCISE OF THE INALIENABLE RIGHTS OF THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE

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| 10.30 a.m.-<br>1 p.m. | 193rd meeting | Trusteeship Council Chamber |

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

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| 10.30 a.m.-<br>1 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 10 |
| 3 p.m.-<br>6 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 10 |

## OTHER MEETINGS

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
*(on operational activities and other outstanding matters)*

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| 9 a.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room C |

GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
*(on operational activities and other outstanding matters)*

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| Morning*-<br>10 a.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room C |

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* Following the adjournment of the meeting of the Group of 27 of the Group of 77.

GROUP OF 77 OF THE WHOLE
*(at the ambassadorial level)*
*(briefing of the contact group)*

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| 10 a.m.-<br>11 a.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 6 |

MEETING OF THE NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES
*(on restructuring)*

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| 10.30 a.m.-<br>1 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 4 |

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

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| 10.30 a.m.-<br>1 p.m. | closed meeting | Economic and Social Council Chamber |

ASIAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

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| 3 p.m.-<br>6 p.m. | closed meeting | Economic and Social Council Chamber |

**United Nations Institute for Training and Research**

ORIENTATION COURSE ON THE SECURITY COUNCIL FOR MEMBERS OF THE COUNCIL

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| 10 a.m.-<br>1 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 9 |
| 3 p.m.-<br>6 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 9 |

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SECOND COMMITTEE

The DRAFTING GROUP ON OPERATIONAL ACTIVITIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS SYSTEM (item 83) will meet on Monday, 7 December 1992, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room C and at 6 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

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THIRD COMMITTEE

The Third Committee will hold informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.51 on Monday, 7 December 1992, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1.

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**Briefing**

A briefing will be given on the theme "Verifying the Non-Proliferation Treaty: Challenge for the 1990s" by Mr. Owen Greene, VERTIC Verification Technology Information Centre (London), on Monday, 7 December 1992, at 4 p.m. in Conference Room D. Mr. Greene is a member of VERTIC's Oversight and Advisory Board and a lecturer in international relations and security studies at Brandford University. Members of delegations, representatives of non-governmental organizations and the media are invited to attend.

## FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

*Tuesday, 8 December 1992*

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

*Forty-seventh session*

10 a.m. — 80th PLENARY MEETING — General Assembly Hall

1. Election of the Executive Director of the United Nations Environment Programme: note by the Secretary-General (A/47/752) [16 (c)].

2. The situation in Central America: procedures for the establishment of a firm and lasting peace and progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development: report of the Secretary-General (A/47/739-S/24871) [36].

3. Commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations in 1995 [48]:

   (a) Report of the Preparatory Committee for the Fiftieth Anniversary of the United Nations (A/47/48);

   (b) Draft decision (A/47/48, Sect.IV).

**Committees**

SECOND COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations*

10 a.m. — closed meeting
3 p.m. — closed meeting
Conference Room 8

SECOND COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations*

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| 3 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 6 |

FIFTH COMMITTEE

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| 10 a.m. | 38th meeting | Conference Room 3 |

FIFTH COMMITTEE

*Informal consultations*

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| Morning* | closed meeting | Conference Room 5 |

Informal consultations on agenda item 102

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| 3 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 5 |

Informal consultations on agenda item 111

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| 6.30 p.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 5 |

Informal consultations on agenda item 110

* Following the adjournment of the 38th meeting of the Fifth Committee.

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

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| 10.30 a.m. | closed meeting | Conference Room 10 |
| 3 p.m. | closed meeting | |

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The DISARMAMENT COMMISSION will hold its 1992 organizational session on Tuesday, 8 December 1992, at 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 4.

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## OTHER MEETINGS

There will be a closed meeting of the MEMBERS OF THE NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES *(on Somalia)*, on Wednesday, 9 December 1992, at 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 2.

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### Weekly DPI/NGO Briefing

On Thursday, 10 December 1992, Human Rights Day, the representatives of non-governmental organizations are invited to attend morning and afternoon observances to be held in the General Assembly Hall to inaugurate the International Year of the World's Indigenous People. At 9.30 a.m., the meeting will be opened by the President of the General Assembly, H.E. Mr. Stoyan Gaven (Bulgaria). The Secretary-General will deliver an opening address.

# SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

## *Friday, 4 December 1992*

### GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

79th plenary meeting

*The situation in the Middle East: reports of the Secretary-General (A/47/672-S/24819, A/47/673, A/47/716-S/24845)* [35]

Statements were made by the representatives of Japan, Israel, Lebanon, Yemen, Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, the Syrian Arab Republic, Sweden, Nigeria, Jordan, Zambia, Senegal, the Islamic Republic of Iran and Egypt.

The President informed members that the Assembly would consider draft resolutions to be submitted under agenda item 35 at a later date to be announced in the *Journal*.

The President further informed representatives that with regard to agenda item 37 (Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian emergency assistance of the United Nations) he had asked the Permanent Representative of New Zealand to conduct consultations on his behalf as chairman of an open-ended working group on agenda item 37, with all interested delegations in order to prepare an agreed text of a draft resolution under the item.

### Committees

THIRD COMMITTEE — 57th meeting

*Human rights questions* [97]

*(b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms*

*(c) Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives*

*The situation of human rights in Estonia and Latvia* [149]

The Committee continued its joint consideration of the items.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Russian Federation, Estonia, Cyprus, Uganda, Cameroon, Cuba and Greece.

Statements in exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Bangladesh, Iraq, Japan, Romania, the Republic of Korea, China, Pakistan, Turkey, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Greece, Cyprus and Canada.

The Committee concluded its general discussion of items 97 (b) and (c) and item 149.

*Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.18/Rev.1*

Angola, Belize, Bhutan, Brazil, Jordan, Lebanon, the Sudan and Swaziland joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

The representative of Nepal made a statement after the adoption of the draft resolution.

*Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.61*

The Sudan joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

The representative of the United Kingdom made a statement, on behalf of the States members of the European Community, in explanation of vote before the vote.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 82 to 43, with 14 abstentions.

The representative of Argentina made a statement in explanation of vote after the adoption of the draft resolution.

*Draft resolution A/C.3/47/L.65*

Bolivia, Cameroon, Ethiopia, Nigeria, the Philippines, Samoa and Uganda joined in sponsoring the draft resolution.

The Committe adopted the draft resolution.

58th and 59th meetings

*Note:* The summary of the 58th and 59th meetings of the Third Committee will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 1992/238).

## SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC

### [MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

*International Sugar Agreement, 1992, concluded at Geneva on 20 March 1992*

*Signature*: Fiji (4 December 1992)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Chairmen of the regional groups*

The following information regarding the Chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of December has been communicated to the Secretariat:

*African States:*
Morocco
H.E. Mr. Ahmed Snoussi

*Asian States:*
Vanuatu
H.E. Mr. Robert R. Van Lierop

*Eastern European States*:
Belarus
H.E. Mr. Guennadi N. Buravkin

*Latin American and Caribbean States*:
Antigua and Barbuda
H.E. Mr. Lionel Alexander Hurst

*Western European and Other States*:
Finland
H.E. Mr. Wilhelm Breitenstein

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